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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY
AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

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Subject: Notification per PRN 98-10 – Remove the California restriction for wood use
Product Name: MERGAL MITZ
EPA Registration Number: 365-84
Application Date: September 16, 2015
Decision Number: 509673

Dear Ms. Miksztal:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 for the above referenced product. The Antimicrobials Division (AD) has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the action requested falls within the scope of PRN 98-10.

The label submitted with the application has been stamped “Notification” and will be placed in our records.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company’s website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product’s label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA’s Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

If you have any questions, you may contact Zebora Johnson at (703) 308-7080 or via email at johnson.zebora@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Julie Chao".

Julie Chao, Product Manager 33
Regulatory Management Branch 1
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)
Office of Pesticide Programs

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. May be fatal if absorbed through skin or swallowed. May cause allergic skin reaction. Harmful if inhaled. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield, chemical resistant gloves and chemical resistant apron. Mixers, loaders and others exposed to this product must wear: long-sleeved shirt and long pants. Discard clothing or other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry. Users should wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Users should remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible wash thoroughly. This product may cause skin sensitization in some people.

FIRST AID	
IF IN EYES:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for treatment advice.
IF ON SKIN:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for treatment advice.
IF INHALED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Move person to fresh air If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for treatment advice.
IF SWALLOWED:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Call a Poison Control Center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a Poison Control Center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor, or going for treatment.	
NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:	
Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage following ingestion. Measures against circulatory shock, respiratory depression and convulsion may be needed.	

MERGAL® MITZ

For Manufacturing Use Only in Formulating Industrial Microbiocides for Use in Adhesives, Building Materials Fuels, Dispersed Pigments, Inks, Metalworking Fluids, Oilfield Injection Waters, Paper mills, Paints and Coatings, Polymer Latex, Printing Fluid, Slurries, and In-container Preservation, **Wood and Wood Products.**

EPA Reg. No.: 365-84
EPA Est. No.: 84406-CHN-001

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:
5-Chloro-2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one 11.1%
2-Methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one 3.5%
INERT INGREDIENTS: 85.4%
TOTAL: 100.0%

NOTIFICATION

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The applicant has certified that no changes, other than those reported to the Agency have been made to the labeling. The Agency acknowledges this notification by letter dated:
10/22/2015

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER

SOLD FOR INDUSTRIAL USE
SEE SIDE PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL 1-800-424-9300

PRODUCED FOR
TROY CHEMICAL COMPANY, LTD.
242 Applewood Crescent, Unit14
Concord, Ontario L4K 4E5 Canada
1-800-461-9364

NET CONTENTS: 1250 kg

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This chemical is toxic to aquatic plants, fish and aquatic invertebrates. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional office of the EPA.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Mergal MITZ is used for the formulation of end use industrial microbiocides. Formulators are responsible for obtaining their own EPA registrations and developing the data required to support their registrations. Mergal MITZ is designed for formulation into end-use pesticide products which are intended for use as a preservative in the final commodity products listed below:

- Adhesives and tackifiers,
- Building Materials (stuccos, cement admixtures, gypsum board)
- Fuel preservation
- Dispersed Pigments (used in paints & coatings, paper production)
- In-Can Preservation for Industrial and Household Consumer Products (air fresheners/deodorizers, car washes/waxes, floor cleaners/waxes, liquid detergents, laundry detergents, polishes/waxes)
- NOT for formulating pesticides which come into contact with food**
- Metalworking Fluids
- Oilfield Injection Waters
- Polymer Latex (acrylic, styrene-butadiene, carboxylated, ethylene/vinyl acetate, biopolymers)
- Paints and Coatings
- Paper mills
- Printing Inks, Fountain solutions
- Recirculating Electrodeposition systems - (paints, photoplating, fountain solutions)
- Recirculating Cooling Waters/Slurries
- Wood and Wood Products**

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.
PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in original container.
PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticides, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State pesticide or environmental control agency or the hazardous waste representative at the nearest EPA regional office for guidance.
CONTAINER HANDLING: Nonrefillable container: Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.